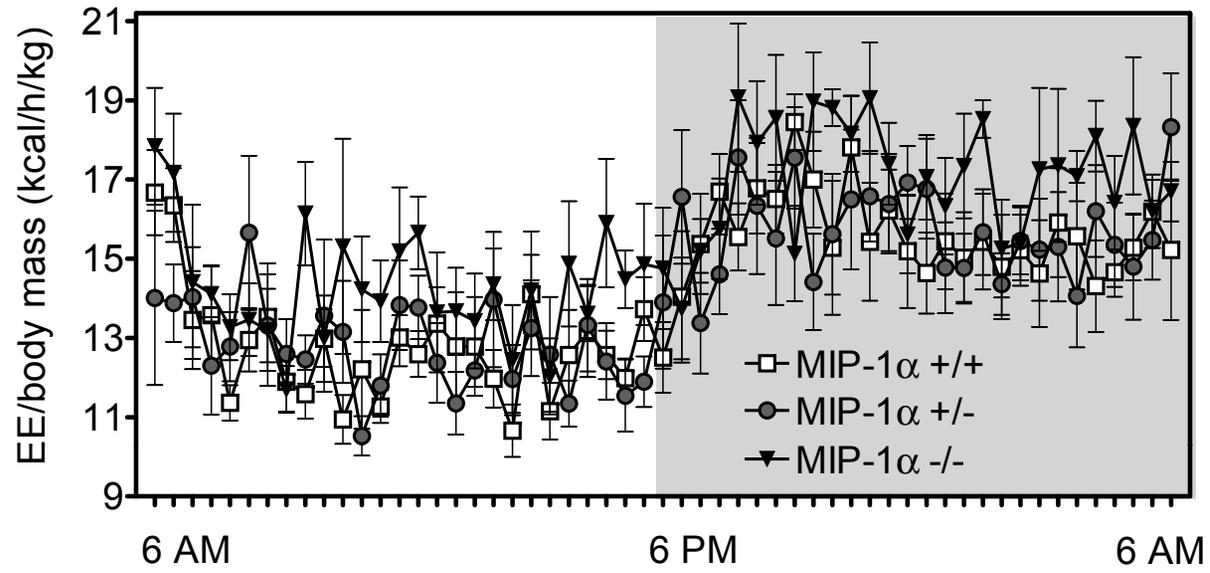
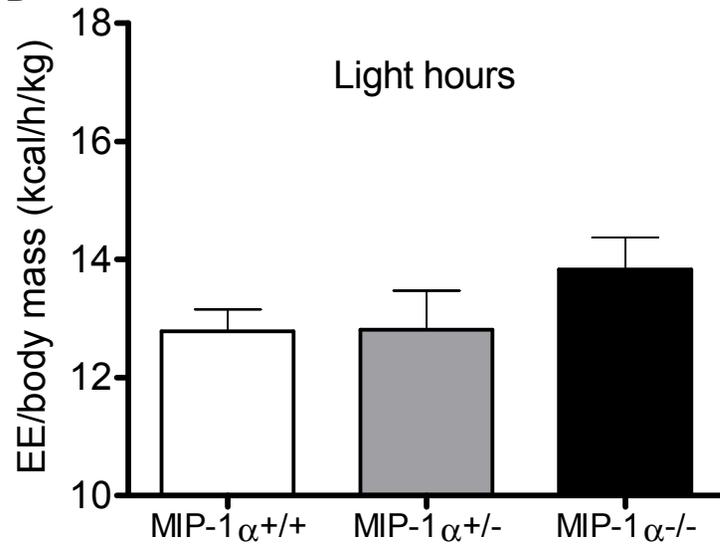
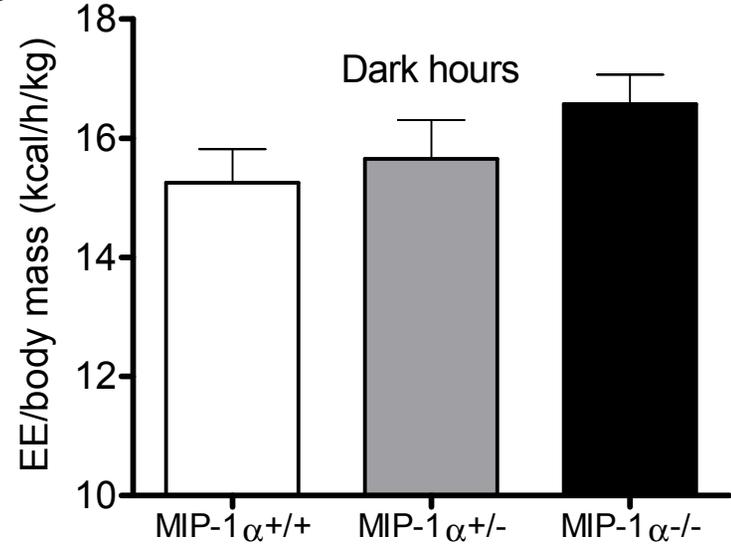
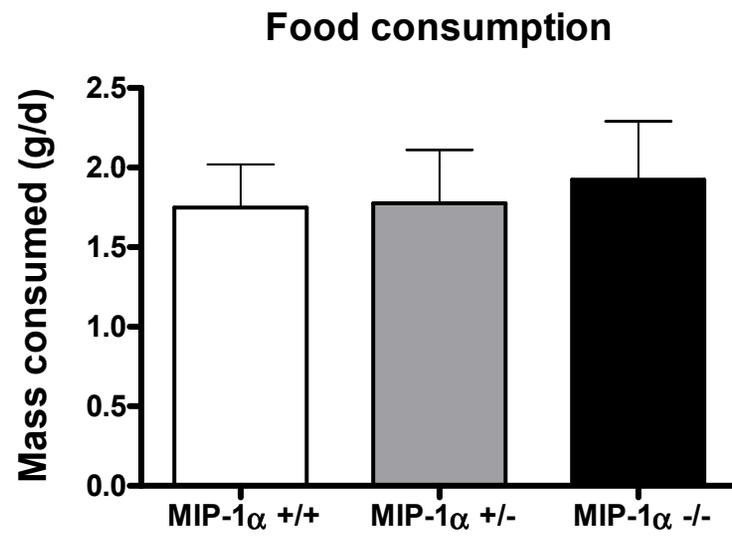
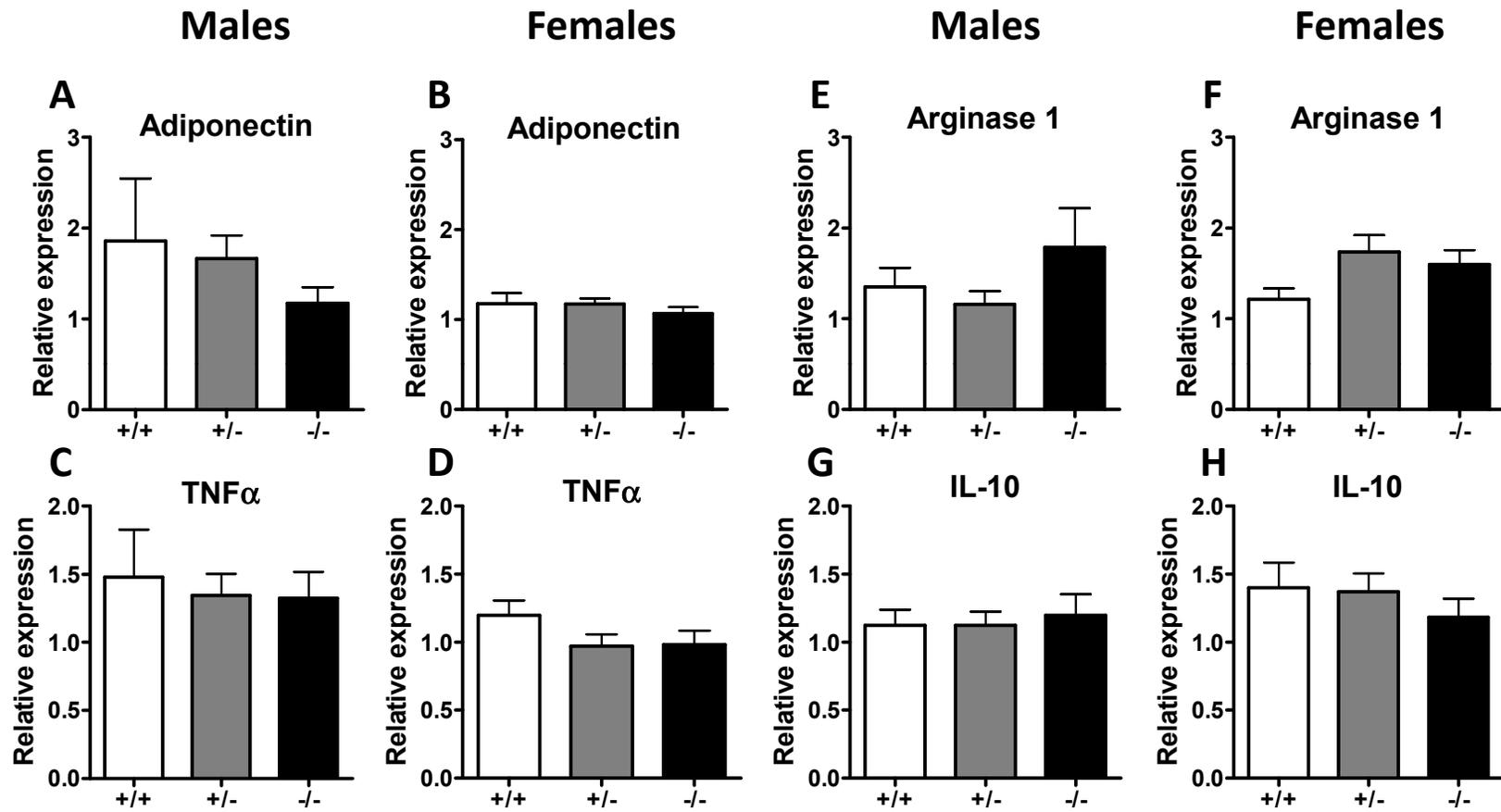


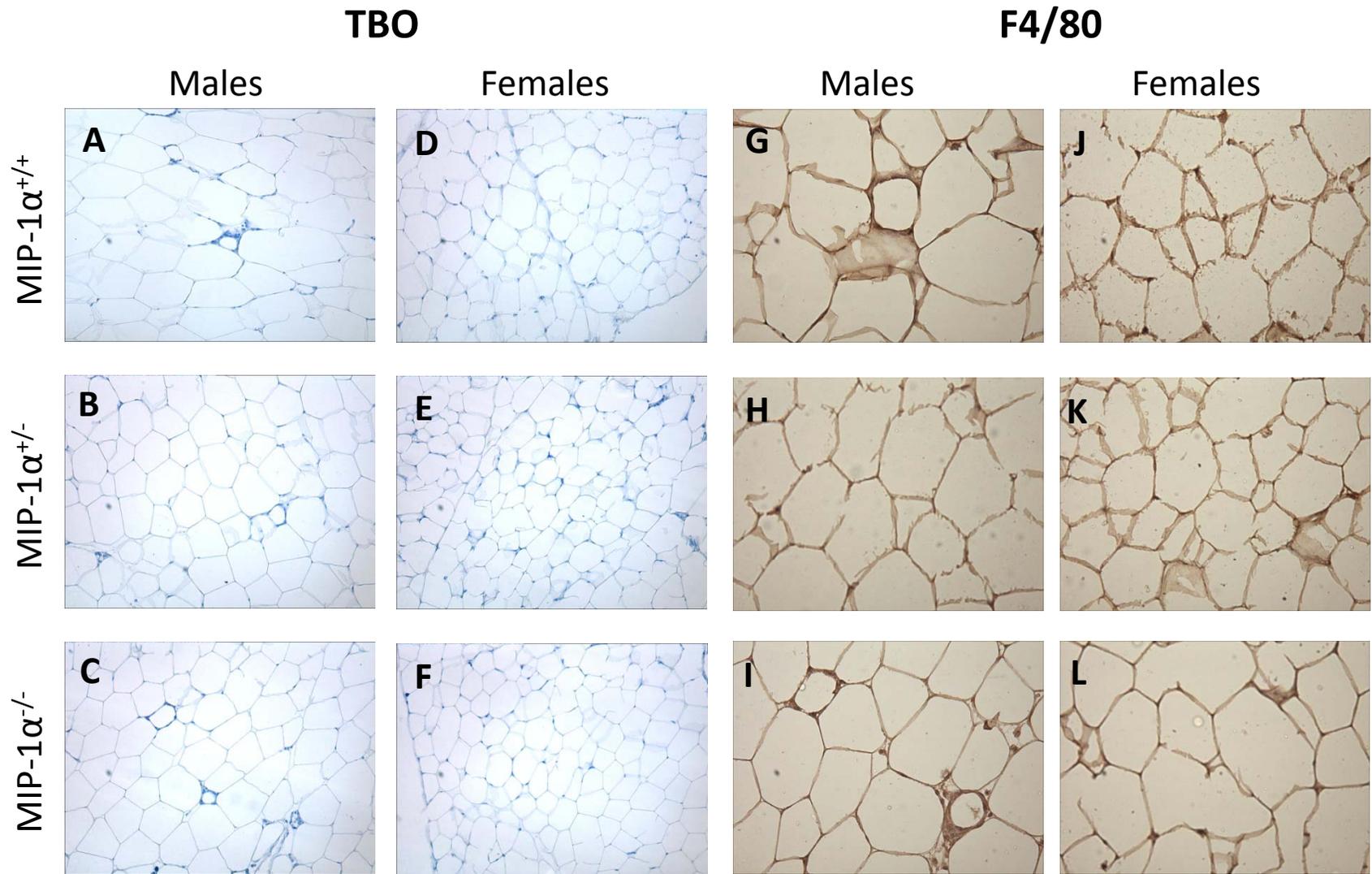
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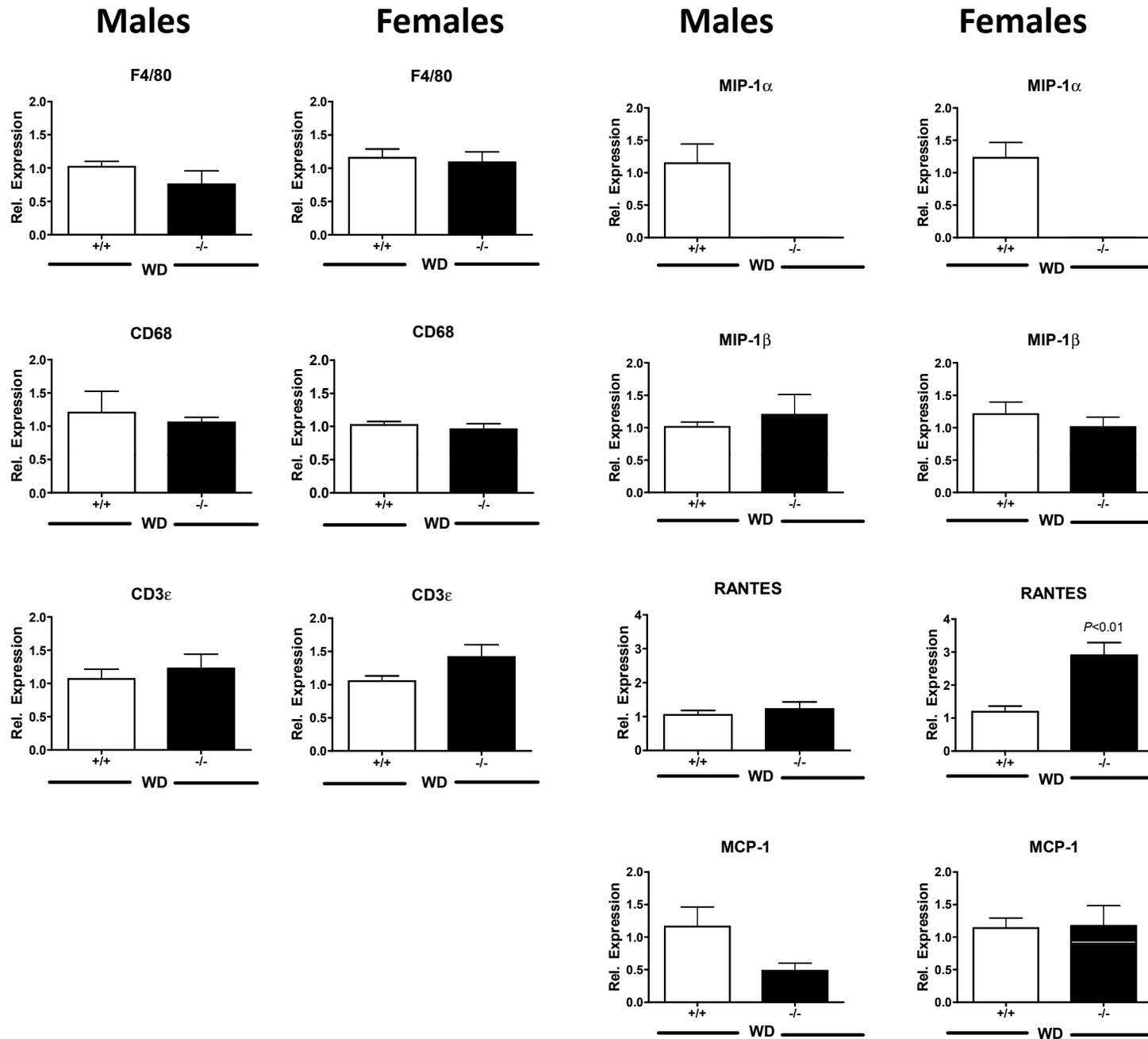
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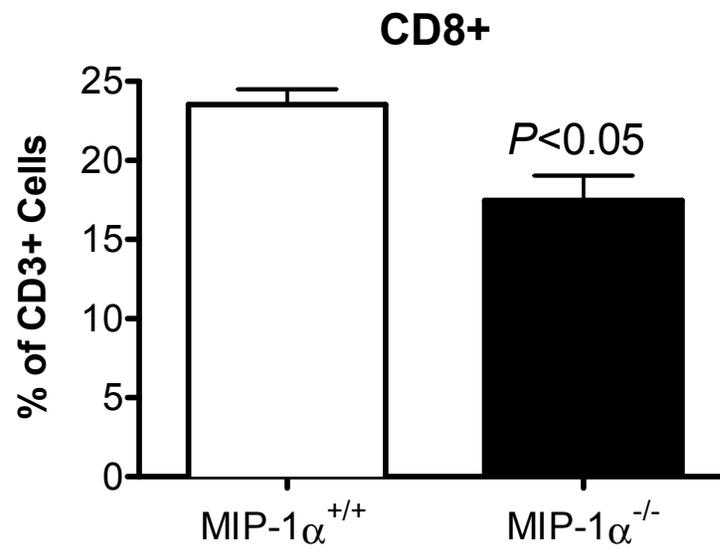
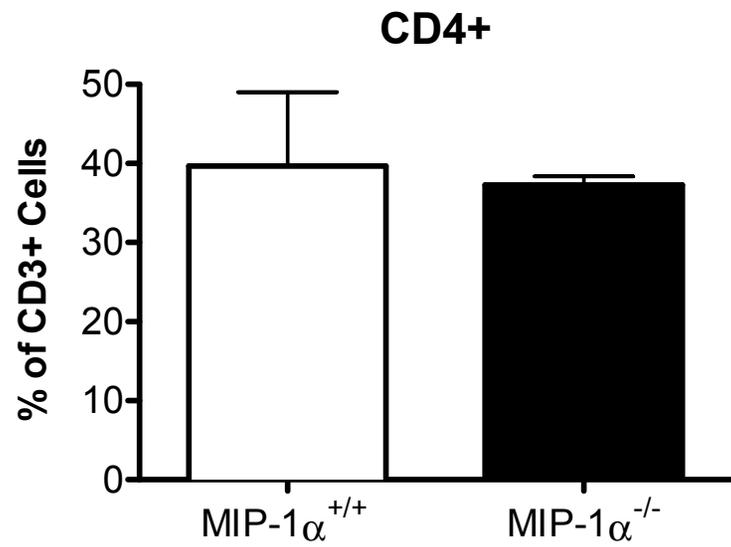
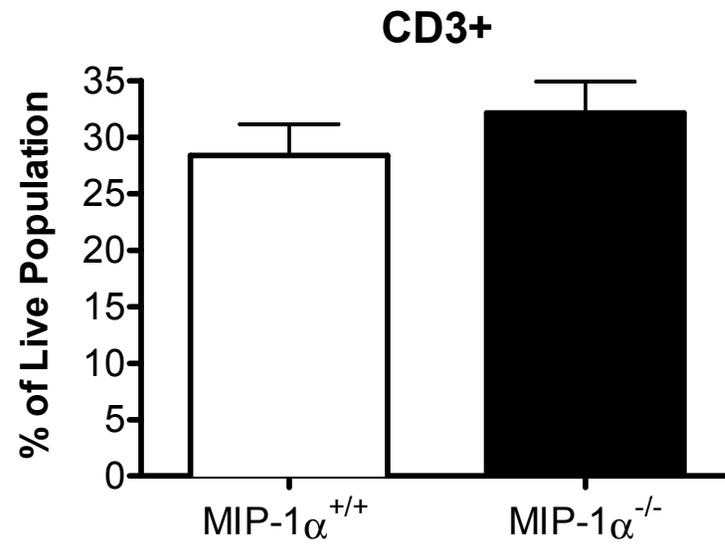
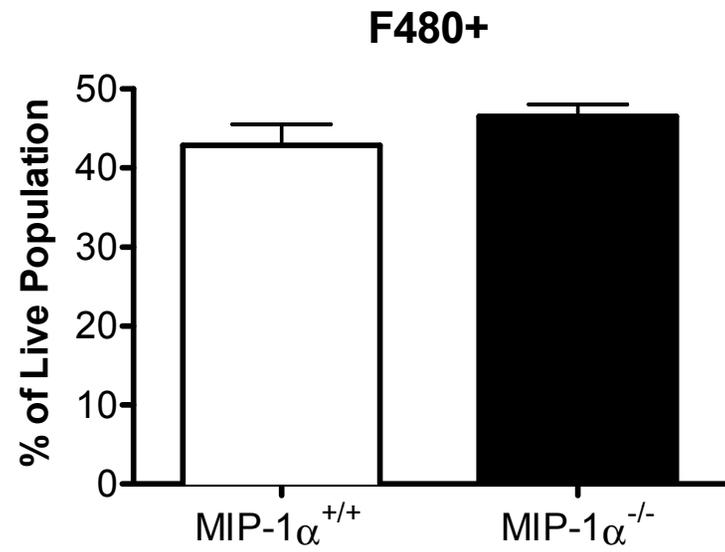
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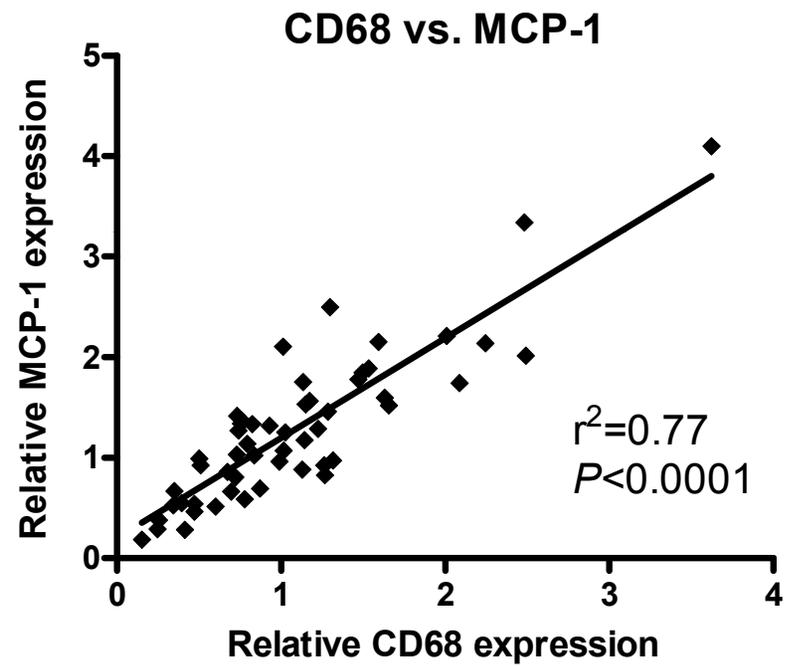
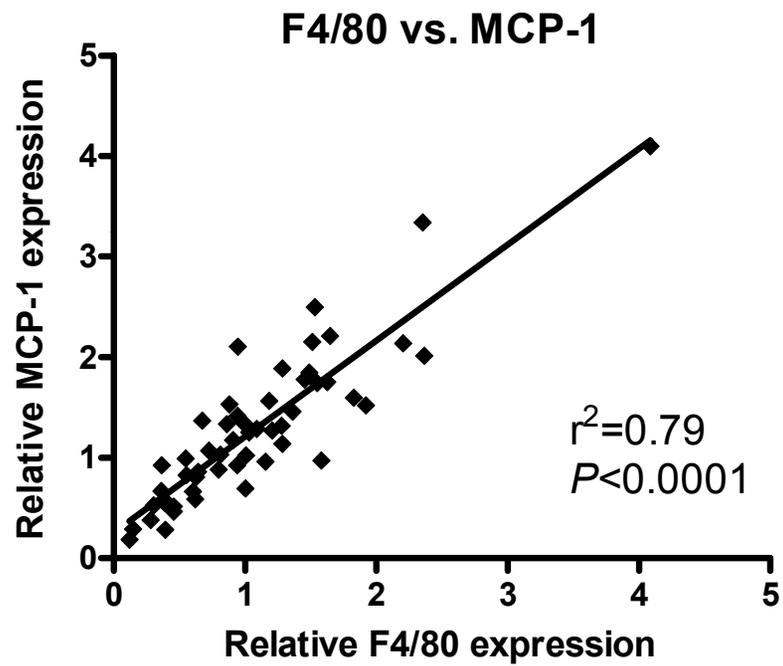
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Supplemental Figure 5



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Supplemental Table 1: Tissue masses of 24 wk old mice.

Genotype	Perirenal WAT (mg)		Spleen (mg)		Kidneys (mg)	
	CD	WD	CD	WD	CD	WD
Males						
MIP-1 α ^{+/+}	68 ± 9	930 ± 76	72 ± 11	103 ± 6	341 ± 19	379 ± 13
MIP-1 α ^{+/-}	92 ± 12	866 ± 39	63 ± 20	103 ± 4	324 ± 12	376 ± 9
MIP-1 α ^{-/-}	72 ± 16	955 ± 41	71 ± 4	111 ± 6	339 ± 13	369 ± 9
Females						
MIP-1 α ^{+/+}	99 ± 19	622 ± 74	63 ± 2	117 ± 7	247 ± 11	285 ± 8
MIP-1 α ^{+/-}	66 ± 5*	587 ± 80	73 ± 5	111 ± 5	260 ± 8	273 ± 7
MIP-1 α ^{-/-}	96 ± 13	566 ± 54	68 ± 5	118 ± 5	246 ± 9	262 ± 10

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Data shown is mean ± SEM. *P<0.05 for one-way ANOVA, but Tukey's Multiple Comparison Test revealed no significant differences between MIP-1 α ^{+/+}, MIP-1 α ^{+/-}, and MIP-1 α ^{-/-} female mice. Abbreviations: CD, chow diet; WD, Western Diet.

1 | **Supplemental Figure 1: Energy expenditure relative to body mass in male MIP-1 $\alpha^{+/+}$, MIP-**
2 **1 $\alpha^{+/-}$, and MIP-1 $\alpha^{-/-}$ mice.** Energy expenditure is plotted to include all time points at which data
3 was collected during a 24 h period (A). Data is plotted as mean \pm SEM for each group during
4 the 12 h of light (left panel) or 12 h of dark (right panel) of the 24 h light/dark cycle (B). Mice
5 were weighed at the start of the experiment, and their energy expenditure was analyzed relative
6 to their body mass. Abbreviations: EE, energy expenditure. n=7-9 mice/group.

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8 **Supplemental Figure 2: Daily food consumption of male mice after 8 wks on Western**
9 **Diet.** Food consumption was measured while mice were individually housed during the energy
10 expenditure experiment. Change in food mass per hour was calculated and converted into
11 grams per day. n=7-9 male mice/group.

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13 **Supplemental Figure 3: WAT gene expression in Western Diet-fed mice.** Mice were fed
14 Western Diet for 16 wks. RNA was isolated from perigonadal WAT and used to synthesize
15 cDNA, which was used for real time PCR. Data shows the relative gene expression of
16 adiponectin (A-B), TNF α (C-D), arginase-1 (E-F), and IL-10 (G-H).

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18 **Supplemental Figure 4: Toluidine blue O stained WAT in mice after 16 wks of Western**
19 **Diet feeding.** Perigonadal WAT was harvested from mice, weighed, and a portion was fixed
20 overnight in 10% formalin, transferred to 70% ethanol, and paraffin embedded. Tissue was cut
21 into 7 μ m sections and stained with toluidine blue O (Panels A-F) or immunostained with primary
22 antibody to F4/80 (Panels G-L). Toluidine Blue O images were taken at 10X magnification and
23 F4/80 stained images were taken at 20X magnification.

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26 **Supplemental Figure 5: WAT gene expression in six week WD-fed mice.** Mice were fed
27 Western Diet for 6 wks. RNA was isolated from perigonadal WAT and used to synthesize
28 cDNA, which was used for real time PCR. Data shows the relative gene expression of F4/80,
29 CD68, CD3 ϵ , MIP-1 α , MIP-1 β , RANTES, and MCP-1. Data are from 8-9 females per group and
30 4 males per group and are expressed as mean \pm SEM.

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32 **Supplemental Figure 6: Flow cytometric analysis of stromal vascular fractions from WAT**
33 **of 6 week WD-fed male mice.** The stromal vascular fraction was isolated from WAT of mice
34 fed the WD for 6 weeks and flow cytometric analysis performed as described in the Methods
35 section. Macrophages and T lymphocytes were identified as F4/80 and CD3 positive cells
36 quantified as a percent of the live cell population. Sub-populations of T lymphocytes were
37 measured by quantifying the percent of CD3 $^{+}$ cells that were either CD4 $^{+}$ (helper T-
38 lymphocytes) or CD8 $^{+}$ (cytotoxic T-lymphocytes).

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40 **Supplemental Figure 7: Correlation between MCP-1 expression and macrophage**
41 **markers.** Relative gene expression of F4/80 and CD68 are plotted versus MCP-1 relative gene
42 expression for individual mice after 16 wks on Western Diet. Data from male MIP-1 $\alpha^{-/-}$, MIP-
43 1 $\alpha^{+/-}$, and MIP-1 $\alpha^{+/+}$ mice have been analyzed together. Linear regression line is shown. *P*
44 values indicate the significance of each slope's deviation from zero.